

## NOTICE OF INTENT

### Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Wildlife and Fisheries Commission

The Wildlife and Fisheries Commission does hereby give notice of its intent to promulgate hunting seasons for resident game birds and game quadrupeds.

## **Title 76**

### **WILDLIFE AND FISHERIES**

#### **PART XIX. HUNTING AND WMA REGULATIONS**

#### **Chapter 1. Resident Game Hunting Season**

##### **§101. General**

The Resident Game Hunting Season regulations are hereby adopted by the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission. A complete copy of the Regulation Pamphlet may be obtained from the Department.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 56:115.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Wildlife and Fisheries Commission, LR 21:707 (July 1995), amended LR 22:585 (July 1996), LR 23:871 (July 1997), LR 24:1324 (July 1998), LR 25:1290 (July 1999), LR 26:1506 (July 2000), LR 27:1061 (July 2001), LR 28:1615 (July 2002), LR 29:1122 (July 2003), LR 30:1493 (July 2004), LR 31:1627 (July 2005), LR 32:1253 (July 2006), LR 33:1399 (July

2007), LR 34:1447 (July 2008), LR 35:1278 (July 2009), LR 36:1580 (July 2010), LR 37:2206 (July 2011), LR 38:1747 (July 2012), LR 39: .

**§103. Resident Game Birds and Animals**

A. Shooting hours. One-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset.

B. Consult Regulation Pamphlet for seasons or specific regulations on Wildlife Management Areas or specific localities.

Species	Season Dates	Daily Bag Limit	Possession Limit
Quail	OPENS: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of November CLOSES: Last Day of February	10	20
Rabbit and Squirrel	OPENS: 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of October CLOSES: Last Day of February	8	16
Squirrel*	OPENS: 1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of May for 23 days	3	6
Deer <del>2012-13</del> 2013-14	See Schedule	1 antlered and 1 antlerless (when legal)	6/season (not to exceed 3 antlered deer or 4 antlerless deer)
Deer <del>2013-14</del> <u>2014-15</u>	See Schedule	1 antlered and 1 antlerless (when legal)	6/season (not to exceed 3 antlered deer or 4 antlerless deer)

\*NOTE: Spring squirrel season is closed on the Kisatchie National Forest, National Wildlife Refuges, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers property. Some State Wildlife Management Areas will be open, check WMA season schedule.

C. Deer Hunting Schedule, 2013-2014

Area	Archery	Primitive Firearms (All Either Sex Except as Noted)	Still Hunt (No dogs allowed)	With or Without Dogs
1	OPENS: 1 <sup>st</sup> day of Oct. CLOSES: Last day of Jan.	OPENS: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Nov. CLOSES: Fri. after 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Nov.  OPENS: Mon. after the next to last Sun. of Jan. CLOSES: Last day of Jan.	OPENS: Sat. before Thanksgiving Day EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov., then it will open on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Nov. CLOSES: Fri. before 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov. and then it will close on the Fri. before the 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec.  OPENS: Mon. after 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan. CLOSES: next to last Sun. of Jan.	OPENS: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov., then it will open on the 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec. CLOSES: Sun. after 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan.
2	OPENS: 1 <sup>st</sup> day of Oct.	OPENS: Next to last Sat. of Oct.	OPENS: Last Sat. of Oct. CLOSES: Tues.	OPENS: Wed. before the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of

	<p>CLOSES: Last day of Jan.</p>	<p>CLOSES: Fri. before last Sat. of Oct.</p> <p>OPENS: Mon. after the last day of Modern Firearm Season in Jan. CLOSES: After 7 days.</p>	<p>before 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. in odd numbered years and on Wed. during even numbered years EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov. and then it will close on the Tues. in odd numbered years or Wed. during even numbered years before the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p>	<p>Dec. in odd numbered years and on Thurs. during even numbered years EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov., then it will open on the Wed. before the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec. on odd years and Thurs. during even numbered years CLOSES: 40 days after opening in odd numbered years or 39 days after opening in even numbered years</p>
3	<p>OPENS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Sept. CLOSES: Jan. 15</p>	<p>OPENS: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Oct. CLOSES: Fri. before 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Oct.</p> <p>OPENS: Mon. after Thanksgiving Day CLOSES: Fri. before 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p>	<p>OPENS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Oct. CLOSES: Sun. after Thanksgiving Day</p> <p>OPENS: 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec. CLOSES: After 37 days</p>	
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	Last day of Jan.	<p>Nov. (EITHER SEX)</p> <p>OPENS: Mon. after the next to last Sun. of Jan.</p> <p>CLOSES: Last day of Jan. (EITHER SEX FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> 7 DAYS, BUCKS ONLY FOR REMAINDER OF SEASON)</p>	<p>when there are 5 Sats. in Nov., then it will open on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Nov.</p> <p>CLOSES: Fri. before 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. EXCEPT when there are 5 Sats. in Nov. and then it will close on the Fri. before the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec. (BUCKS ONLY UNLESS EITHER SEX SEASON IS IN PROGRESS)</p> <p>OPENS: Mon. after 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan.</p> <p>CLOSES: next to last Sun. of Jan. (BUCKS ONLY UNLESS EITHER SEX SEASON IS IN PROGRESS)</p> <p>OPENS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Nov.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Nov. (EITHER SEX)</p> <p>OPENS: Friday after Thanksgiving</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after Thanksgiving.</p>	<p>Sats. in Nov., then it will open on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan. (BUCKS ONLY UNLESS EITHER SEX SEASON IS IN PROGRESS)</p> <p>OPENS: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. (EITHER SEX)</p> <p>OPENS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. of Dec. (EITHER SEX)</p> <p>OPENS: 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. of Dec.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. of Dec. (EITHER SEX)</p> <p>OPENS: 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan.</p> <p>CLOSES: Sun. after 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. of Jan. (EITHER SEX)</p>
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D. 2013-2014 Modern Firearm Schedule (Either Sex Seasons)

<u>Parish</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Modern Firearm Either-sex Days</u>
West Carroll	Area 5	Opens Friday after Thanksgiving Day for 3 days.

E. Deer Hunting Schedule 2014-2015

<u>Area</u>	<u>Archery</u>	<u>Primitive Firearms (All Either Sex Except as Noted)</u>	<u>Still Hunt (No dogs allowed)</u>	<u>With or Without Dogs</u>
<u>1</u>	OPENS: 1 <sup>st</sup> day of Oct.	OPENS: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Nov. CLOSES: Fri.	OPENS: Sat. before Thanksgiving	OPENS: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sat. of Dec. EXCEPT when

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F. 2014-2015 Modern Firearm Schedule (Either Sex Seasons)

<u>Parish</u>	<u>Area</u>	<u>Modern Firearm Either-sex Days</u>
West Carroll	Area 5	Opens Friday after Thanksgiving Day for 3 days, and 1 <sup>st</sup> Sat of Dec. for 2 days.

G. Farm Raised White-tailed Deer on Supplemented Shooting Preserves: Archery, Firearm, Primitive Firearms: October 1 - January 31 (Either-Sex).

H. Exotics on Supplemented Shooting Preserves: Either Sex, no closed season.

I. Spring Squirrel Hunting

1. Season Dates: Opens 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of May for 23 days.

2. Closed Areas: Kisatchie National Forest, National Wildlife Refuges, and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers property and all WMAs except as provided in Paragraph 3 below.

3. Wildlife Management Area Schedule: Opens 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of May for 9 days on all WMAs except Fort Polk, Peason Ridge, Camp Beauregard, Pass-a-Loutre and Salvador. Dogs are allowed during this season for squirrel hunting. Feral hogs may ~~not~~ be taken on Wildlife Management Areas during this season.

4. Limits: Daily bag limit is 3 and possession limit is 6.

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 56:115, R.S. 56:109(B) and R.S. 56:141(C).

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Wildlife and Fisheries Commission, LR 21:707 (July 1995), amended LR 22:585 (July 1996), LR 23:871 (July 1997), LR 24:1324 (July 1998), LR 25:1290 (July 1999), repromulgated LR 25:1526 (August 1999), LR 26:1506 (July 2000), LR 27:1061 (July 2001), LR 28:1615 (July 2002), LR 29:1122 (July 2003), repromulgated LR 29:1521 (August 2003), LR 30:1494 (July 2004), LR 31:1627 (July 2005), LR 32:1254 (July 2006), LR 33:115 (January 2007), LR 33:1399 (July 2007), LR 34:1447 (July 2008),

LR 35:1280 (July 2009), LR 35:2856 (December 2009), LR 36:1580 (July 2010), LR 37: 2207 (July 2011), LR 38:1747 (July 2012), LR 39: .

Public hearings will be held at the following locations:  
March 19 beginning at 6:00 p.m., at LDWF Minden Office, 9961 Highway 80, Minden; March 19 beginning at 6:00 p.m., at the St. Tammany Parish Council Chambers, 21490 Koop Drive, Mandeville; March 20 beginning at 6:00 p.m., LDWF Monroe Office, 368 Centurytel Drive, Monroe; March 20 beginning at 6:00 p.m., Chalmette Elementary School Resource Center, 75 East Chalmette Circle, Chalmette; March 21 beginning at 6:00 p.m., USGS National Wetlands Research Center, 700 Cajundome Boulevard, Lafayette; March 26 beginning at 6:30 p.m., LSU Ag Center (next to Burton Coliseum), 7101 Gulf Highway, Lake Charles; March 27 beginning at 6:00 p.m., Alexandria Convention Hall, 915 3rd Street, Alexandria; March 27 beginning at 6:00 p.m., Houma Municipal Auditorium, 880 Verret St., Houma; March 28 beginning at 6:00 p.m., Waddill Outdoor Education Center, 4142 North Flannery Road, Baton Rouge. Also comments will be accepted at regularly scheduled Wildlife and Fisheries Commission Meetings from March through May. Interested persons may submit written comments relative to the proposed rule until 4:30 p.m., Thursday, May 2, 2013 to Mr. Steve Smith, Wildlife Division,

Department of Wildlife and Fisheries, Box 98000, Baton Rouge, LA, 70898-9000, or via email to [ssmith@wlf.la.gov](mailto:ssmith@wlf.la.gov).

The secretary of the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries is authorized to take any and all necessary steps on behalf of the Commission to promulgate and effectuate this Notice of Intent and the final Rule, including but not limited to, the filing of the fiscal and economic impact statements, the filing of the Notice of Intent and final Rule and the preparation of reports and correspondence to other agencies of government.

In accordance with Act 1183 of the 1999 regular session of the Louisiana Legislature, the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries/Wildlife and Fisheries Commission hereby issues its Family Impact Statement in connection with the preceding Notice of Intent: This Notice of Intent will have no impact on the six criteria set out at R.S. 49:972(B).

Ronald Graham  
Chairman